

GROVER EMPHATIC.

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**To Re-Enter Public Life—His Highest Aspiration
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no Part in Politics.**

New York, June 19.—The World today publishes a dispatch from Princeton, N. J., quoting former President Cleveland as saying:

"It is perfectly absurd to suppose for an instant that I have any desire to re-enter public life. Nor have I remotely entertained the thought since I left Washington, over six years ago. The matter is as far from my thoughts as it was in 1896, when, all must admit, it was not within my hearing or sight. I have no higher aspiration than to pass my days in peace with my family around me and take no part in politics, other than a private citizen."

"I have never spoken to anybody on the subject of a fourth candidacy. I

have never written to a single political friend one way or the other, nor have I been written to or spoken to by them. There is no political leader of any prominence endeavoring to advance any movement to nominate me in any state so far as I have been advised, nor do I anticipate any such movement will be made by any leader prominent or obscure.

"I have on several occasions, within a year, undertaken to perform the labor which usually falls to the private in the ranks but there has not lurked within me the hope of any reward save the conscience of having made an effort to assist in bringing about salutary conditions in the party."

TRAINMEN MIX ORDERS.

**Collision on Illinois Central Results
Fatally to Ten Men.**

Waterloo, Iowa, June 19.—An Illinois Central passenger train which left Omaha at 7:50 last night collided, coming with a freight train just west of Raymond, Iowa, at 2:40 this morning. Both engines and firemen were killed; a mail agent seriously injured and three passengers slightly hurt. It took four hours to clear the track of the wreckage. The dead are:

E. Stickney, Waterloo.
—Groom, mail clerk.
Three tramps, unidentified, stealing a ride.
One immigrant, unidentified.
The seriously injured are:
Charles Morgan, Independence, Ia., arm broken.
George Hurn, negro, of Independence, internal.
The trains met at a curve. The passenger train, which had the right of way, was going at the rate of fifty miles an hour. The freight crew is said to have misunderstood their orders.

ONE MAN STOOD BETWEEN VERDICT

**Of Guilty or Not Guilty—Jury in Jett-White
Case Could Not Agree, and the
Judge Dismissed It.**

Jackson, Ky., June 18.—The jury in the case of Jett and White, charged with the murder of Lawyer James B. Marcum, was discharged today, having been unable to agree. At 8 o'clock, the jury filed into the court room and foreman Richard Millard said:

"Your honor, we find there is no chance of coming to an agreement."

Judge Redwine said:

"It will have to keep you gentlemen together until Saturday night unless you get a verdict sooner. There is no reason why one should not be reached in this case."

Foreman Millard said:

"One man has as much right to his opinion as another, and he may stick to it."

Judge Redwine decided to transfer the Jett-White case to Cynthiana, for the next trial.

NO EXCITEMENT
Followed the Announcement.—Prisoners are taken to Lexington.

Jackson, Ky., June 19.—The scene after the announcement was in no wise exciting. Some started to clap their hands but were stopped by the court. The guards took immediate possession of the prisoners and they were closely guarded back to jail. People gathered around the court house in knots discussing the case but there was no disturbance nor outward sign of trouble.

Attorney Byrd, after consultation at 10 o'clock, made a motion for a change of venue. Judge Redwine refused to hear arguments, but of his own accord changed the venue to Cynthiana, Harrison county, at the next term of court. Cynthiana is not in Judge Redwine's district. He surprised the spectators by ordering the prisoners sent to Lexington under a detachment of soldiers and accompanied by Major Jones. They will leave Jackson at 3 o'clock and be placed in Lexington jail for safe keeping at 7 o'clock tonight.

CZAR THANKED AUTHOR.

St. Petersburg, June 19.—The Czar, the Novoe Vremia announces, has accepted a copy of a book on Bessarabia, written by M. Kroushvan, the editor of the anti-Semitic organ in Kishineff, the Bessarabets (the articles in which are held to have been largely responsible for the massacre of Jews at Kishineff) and it is added, has commanded that the author be thanked in the name of his Majesty.

It was announced from St. Petersburg, June 17, that M. Kroushvan was attacked by a party of Jews in a street at St. Petersburg that day, and was stabbed in the neck by a former student of the Polytechnic school at Kieff. The despatch added that the wound was not believed to be mortal.

CONSULAR APPOINTMENTS.

Washington, June 19.—Announcement was made at the state department today of these consular appointments: John G. Foster, Vermont, Consul General at Ottawa; Robert Woods Bliss, Consul at Vienna; James Verner, Long, Penna., Consul at Patras; Edward Higgins, Mass., Consul at Berne.

RACE MEETING ABANDONED.

London, June 19.—The race meeting which was to have occurred at Windsor tomorrow, has been abandoned because of rain. There are three feet of water on the course, over which the Eton boys are rowing. Six inches of rain have fallen in London since June 8, while the exposed thermometers fell to within three degrees of freezing during the night.

PRICES WILL REMAIN SAME.

New York, June 19.—A member of the executive committee of the United States Steel Corporation is authority for the statement that the schedule of prices of finished iron and steel products for 1904 will show no changes from that of this year.

This applies to prices of steel rails and billets.

WILL SURPASS ALL CROWDS.

Chicago, June 19.—The American Derby, which will be run at Washington park track, is now in the hands of the weatherman. Whether the track tomorrow is heavy or fast, will matter little in the size of the field. Lawrence A. Young, president of the Washington Park Club, believes the attendance will be greater than at any horse race ever held in America, and thinks that this year will see the American Derby sent ahead of the English and French Derbies, in the matter of a large crowd. His estimate is 75,000. The field will probably be eighteen and the prices today show no material change from last night.

THE MARKETS.

Wall Street.
New York, June 19.—Large selling orders in United States Steel stocks at the opening depressed the common % and the preferred a point both touching low records prices on the movement. Prices were lower throughout and the decline reached large fractions in the Pacific and in Sugar. St. Louis and San Francisco second preferred fell 1% and Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie preferred a point. Hocking Valley rose two.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, June 19.—Cattle receipts 3,000, steady; good to prime steers \$5 @ \$5.50; poor to medium \$4 @ \$4.35; stockers and feeders \$3 @ \$4.75; cows \$1.60 @ \$1.60; heifers \$2.50 @ \$4.80; canners \$1.60 @ \$2.80; bulls \$2.25 @ \$4.25; calves \$2.50 @ \$6.75; Texas fed steers \$3.50 @ \$4.60.

Hogs, receipts today 26,000, tomorrow 15,000; left over 1,335, steady to five cents lower. Mixed and butchers \$5.95 @ \$6.20; good to choice heavy \$6.10 @ \$6.25; rough heavy \$5.95 @ \$6.10; light \$6 @ \$6.20; bulk of sales \$6.10 @ \$6.20.

Sheep receipts 6,000, sheep and lambs steady. Good to choice wethers \$4.25 @ \$5; fair to choice mixed \$3.25 @ \$4; native lambs \$4.50 @ \$6.50.

Chicago Grain and Provision.
Chicago, June 19.—Close—Wheat July 76%, old 76%; Sept. 74% and 7% old 75; Dec. 74 5-8 and 4-5, old 75. Corn—June 49%; July 49% Sept. 49% and 5-8; Dec. 47% and 48; May 47% and 5-8.
Oats—June 39 1-4 @ 39; July 39% @ 39; Sept. 33%; Dec. 33%; May 35%. Pork—July 17.00; Sept. 17.00.
Lard—July 8.85; Sept. 8.97%; Oct. 8.85.
Ribs—July 9.33%; Sept. 9.30 and 9.33%; Oct. 9.37%.
Rye—July 52 1-4; Sept. 52 1-4.

PRICE

**Of Steel Rails Fixed for the
Year 1904.**

**Chairman Gary Says U. S. Steel
Output for Eight Months
Is Sold.**

New York, June 19.—The following statement concerning the steel and iron schedule for 1904 was made today by Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the executive committee of the United States Steel Corporation:

WAGE SCALE FOR THE YEAR

**Signed by Carnegie Co. This Insures
no Stoppage for Twelve Months.**

Pittsburg, Pa., June 19.—The wage scale of the Amalgamated Association of iron and steel workers for the ensuing year was signed today by the officials of the Carnegie Steel Co., for the American Steel Hoop Plants. This is the first time an amalgamated scale has been signed by the Carnegie Steel Co. since 1889 and was due to the recent merging of the American Steel Hoop Co. with the Carnegie company. All of the companies controlled by the United States Steel corporation have now signed wage scales for the year beginning July 1, with the Amalgamated Association and there will be no stoppage at any of the plants on account of wage disputes.

IF THE TREATY IS NOT RATIFIED

**Influential Member of the Liberal Party Sees
Great Danger for the Sovereignty of
Colombia—U. S. Might Land.**

Panama, Colombia, June 19.—The Star and Herald has been publishing a series of articles by the most prominent isthmians on the canal question. Dr. Pablo Arosemena, an influential member of the liberal party, wrote an article decidedly favoring the ratification of the Hay-Herran treaty, and showing that every prominent conservative or liberal in Panama favors the ratification of the treaty.

Another writer says he sees great danger for the sovereignty of Colombia. If the treaty is not ratified and declares that the United States can buy control of the French company, as Great Britain did in the case of the Suez canal, and then denounce the treaty of 1846, guaranteeing the sovereignty of Colombia. The writer adds that if at the same time, the European powers decide to push their claims against Colombia, the republic, being unable to comply with them, a repetition of the naval demonstration against Venezuela is possible, "which is more insulting to the national honor than approval of the treaty, which really makes Colombia and the United States allies."

"If" the article continues, "being free of her obligations to guarantee Colombia sovereignty the United States decides to land forces and guarantee free transit to the world's commerce, Colombia could not prevent her so doing, which would be far more dangerous than the ratification of the treaty."

PATIENTS WERE TAKEN

**From Hospitals Into the Grounds, and
Congregation Left the Cathedral.**

London, June 19.—The storm off Carnarvon, Wales, was accompanied by two strong earthquakes. The inhabitants were alarmed by the rocking of their houses but no damage was reported.

FOUR THOUSAND CHILDREN SANG

**In This Afternoon's Saengerfest, Which Opened
with an Overture Rendered by Grand
Orchestra of 200 Pieces.**

St. Louis, Mo., June 19.—As on the opening night, the full strength of the Saengerfest participated in the afternoon concert of the 31st National Musical Festival today. One of the features of this afternoon's programme was the chorus of 4,000 children from the public schools of St. Louis, who for months, have been carefully trained for participation in the Saengerfest.

The concert began at 2:30 o'clock under the supervision of Directors Alfred Ernst and Wm. H. Posner, without any preliminaries. The concert was opened with an overture by the

"The price of steel rails for the year 1904 has been fixed at \$28 at the mill, the price which has obtained during the last three years. The full capacity of all the mills for the next seven or eight months has been sold, many of the leading railroad companies have expressed a desire to have the price of rails established for next season and action has been taken a little earlier than usual. Upwards of 250,000 tons for 1904 have already been booked and inquiries for a large additional tonnage have been received during the day. No change in the price of other lines of steel has been contemplated."

RUSSIAN MINISTER

**Informed Minister of Foreign Affairs, He
Will Recognize Servian Government.**

**It Is Generally Expected That Peter Will Pro-
mote, and Pension the Regicides, and Then
Gradually Remove Them—Indications
of Trouble in Bulgaria.**

Belgrade, June 19.—The following notification was gazetted today:

"The Russian minister here has informed the minister of foreign affairs, that he will enter into relations with the Servian government, today, as the Czar had been pleased to recognize Prince Peter Kara-Georgievitch, as King of Servia."

As foreign minister, Kalievich officially visited the Russian legation today, the formal relations appear to have been already resumed. The streets of Belgrade are beginning to wear a gay aspect. They are decorated with flags and Venetian masks have been erected from the palace to the railroad station. The position of the regicides under the new King, is freely discussed, and it is generally expected that they will be promoted and pensioned, and then gradually removed. Any slight of them, however, would be hotly resented by the army, which is master of the situation. The newspaper correspondents who came here from Sofia, have been recalled. They say there are indications of serious trouble in Bulgaria.

DIPLOMATIC CORPS

Can Meet Peter if They Put on Prescribed Uniforms.

Belgrade, June 19.—The provisional government has offered the diplomatic corps placed at the railroad station on the occasion of the reception of King Peter, also expressing the desire that they appear in uniform. The diplomats have not replied, pending the receipt of instructions from their respective governments. The provisional government is very short of funds and has been unable thus far to raise money in consequence of its status not being legalized.

The government found the treasury practically empty, and has no means of obtaining money, the banks having refused to float even a small loan. An installment of the recent French loan,

was due June 15; but the French official who arrived with the cash refused to hand it over until the status of the government was properly defined. The expenses of the deputation which has gone to Geneva, were met with difficulty, and the army is owed long arrears of pay. As to transactions between the government and private individuals the ministry, has informed the legations, whose subjects are involved that the ministers will be personally responsible for their payment.

BRITISH MINISTER

**Will Be Withdrawn From Belgrade On
the Arrival of the King.**

London, June 19.—In the House of Lords today, Foreign Minister Lansdowne, announced that the British Minister to Servia had been instructed to withdraw from Belgrade for some time, on the arrival there of King Peter, and in the meanwhile to do nothing which could be construed as a recognition of the new government.

Lord Lansdowne expressed indignation at the crimes at Belgrade, and said he thought it was not desirable that Sir George Bonham, the British Minister should be in that city, when the new regime was inaugurated. The foreign minister added that no proposal had been received for concerted action towards Servia, by the powers, but the British government had no intention of maintaining ordinary relations with the persons concerned in the massacres.

Started to Meet King.

Belgrade, June 19.—A deputation to meet King Peter started this morning for Geneva.

Three sisters of the late Queen Draga also departed from Belgrade for Vienna.

Russian Court in Mourning.

St. Petersburg, June 19.—The Russian court has gone into mourning for twenty-four days for the late King Alexander and Queen Draga.

KILLED BY A LIVE WIRE.

**Expert While Adjusting Switch Gets
2500 Volts Through His Body.**

Philadelphia, June 19.—Otto Thornert, an electrical expert, from Germany, was instantly killed by touching a live wire while inspecting a new switchboard for the Germantown Electric Light Co. Thornert had been in America only a few weeks. He was formerly assistant supervisor of the electric light system of Berlin, and was an authority on electrical construction. He was sent here as an

agent of Siemens and Halske, of Berlin.

Thornert was making the final adjustment of the switchboard, when the accident occurred. Workmen in an adjoining room, saw a flash, heard a heavy fall and later found Thornert lying twenty feet from the switchboard, dead. It is supposed his hand came in contact with a switch, sending 2500 volts through his body.

RAILROAD CARPENTERS

**Shot and One Killed by Negroes While
on a Santa Fe Train.**

Hutchinson, Kas., June 19.—John Newberry, a bridge carpenter of West Plains, Mo., was shot and killed, and Bob Cross, a bridge carpenter of the same place, was shot and seriously

wounded, by two negroes on a Santa Fe freight train, today, near Sherman. The negroes escaped. The sheriff and a posse are searching for them, and they will be summarily dealt with if caught.

CORRUPTION BEGAN UNDER

McKinley in '98..Bristow Supports Tulloch Charges, by Going Into Detail.

Postmaster General Payne has made public the reply of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, to the charges of Seymour M. Tulloch, former cashier of the Washington city post office, regarding the irregularities in the postal administration and also reports of inspection and investigation of the Washington postoffice by inspectors between June 30, 1898 and July 31, 1900, together with the transcript of the Tulloch charges made some years ago and the conclusions thereon then reached by Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith.

Against President McKinley.

"The charge of Mr. Tulloch is in its essence against President McKinley, and Postmaster Smith. President McKinley is no longer living; Postmaster General Smith, who carried out President McKinley's policy, has answered for himself. With regard to the present management of the Washington postoffice and the conduct of any and all men charged with wrong doing who have been in the postal service under the present administration, a thorough and searching investigation is now being made, and when it is ended, all the facts in the case will be made public, as also whatever action may be taken in view of such facts."

Expenditures irregularly charged to the Washington office, and which belonged to the department itself, are specified by Bristow. It says that Robert V. Willette, a son of the then postmaster, drew two salaries from July 1 to December 10, 1898, one as a laborer at the city postoffice at \$100 a year, and the other as a mechanic at \$2 per day, or each working day on what appears to have been a special roll of the free delivery service.

The most important exhibit is the confidential report of Postmaster Inspector in Charge Smith of the Washington division, made in July, 1899, setting forth irregularities which he urged should be investigated. He names four employees on the military roll who appear not to have performed any service in connection with military postal matters, and for whose original appointment and continuance on the rolls no good reason exists. The payment to W. S. Larnier, a military postal clerk under protest, by the cashier of \$118.93, subsequently disallowed by the auditor of the treasury on January 4, 1899, is gone into at length, and it is shown that this matter was entirely irregular and that payments were directed without proper vouchers.

Washstands \$40, Each.

Attention is called to certain items of expenditures authorized for the military postal service of supplies, furniture, traveling expenses, aggregating \$8,759.80, with the statement that whether or not the said items were purchased in the open market or as the result of competitive bids, the inspector is unable to say, but that the prices paid for some of the articles enumerated, such as washstands at \$40 each, appear to be highly excessive and lead to the belief that the feature of competition did not enter into the transaction.

Attention also is called to additional irregularities in connection with payrolls of clerks and laborers and to charging premiums on the bonds of the military postal clerks notwithstanding such expenses are not chargeable to the United States. An interesting feature concerns irregularities in the appointment, compensation and promotion of Oliver H. Smith. On November 29, 1897, the first assistant postmaster general authorized an allowance of \$609 per annum for his appointment as laborer, stating that the free delivery division would also allow \$2 per day to cover car fare and incidental expenses. Smith drew pay from November 23, 1897 to November 30, 1898, making his compensation for one year approximately \$1,348.60. The inspector reports "no one has been certified to the actual time Smith was employed nor has any statement been attached to his pay vouchers, showing what particular service he rendered. He was continued in the dual capacity of clerk and mechanic until April 1, 1899, when he was promoted to be finance clerk at \$1,700 per annum. The inspector says he knows of no authority of law for his appointment or promotion.

Cleaners Who Did No Work.

Attention is called to seven cleaners, placed on the pay roll of the Washington office under authority of the first assistant postmaster general to be charged to the appropriation for miscellaneous expenses. The names of these cleaners—all female—are given.

The inspector states that neither the postmaster nor any one connected with the Washington office was able to give any information as to where they were employed or the nature of their work and the inspector is of opinion that practically no service whatever has been rendered for the money expended.

The inspector says that by the over-

Consolidation

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Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

Shipping of a lease executed July 28, 1897, by the Union Building Company, of Washington, and the postmaster general, September 13, 1897, the government lost \$625 and that the building was paid for one month beyond its occupancy.

The inspector cites payments to Catherine Endsley, Charles A. Machen, C. A. Hunt, C. A. Lorenze, John S. Leach and F. W. Wait, on the authority of the first assistant postmaster general of per diem connection with claims of letter carriers for overtime charges, aggregating \$4,655. The inspector says this amount, disbursed from July 1, 1898, to May 1, 1899, was disbursed without authority of law.

Rosters are Elastic.

The report of Inspector Little on the investigation of the Washington office, dated July 31, 1900, says that a number of clerks were added to the rolls without request of the postmaster and that the postmaster states that at times, it has been difficult to find employment for all assigned to his rolls. The inspector says the roster appears to be elastic, to be added to as circumstances arise, whether the postmaster requested it or not. The aggregate salaries paid to those not connected with the office amounted to \$16,109. The postmaster says the inspector knows nothing about these names beyond the fact that they are on his rolls, by written authority of the postoffice department and the reason therefore is undoubtedly clear to that department.

The original charges of Mr. Tulloch, made to Postmaster Smith and the conclusions reached by Mr. Smith in his report on them follow practically publications recently printed.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm is an anti-septic liniment and when applied to cuts, bruises and burns, causes them to heal without maturation and much more quickly than by the usual treatment. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

A Sunday school convention will be held in the First Baptist church next Sunday, at 2:30. The program will include report of the recent state convention. Action will be taken upon inviting the Ohio State association to meet in Lima, next year. All Sunday school workers and pastors are urged to attend this meeting. Let us awaken to greater work in the city. Lima should be in the lead among the cities of Ohio. Please heed this announcement. Reva, Figley, Curry and others will speak.

No good health unless the kidneys are sound. Foley's Kidney Cure makes the kidneys right.

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OCEAN LINER INJURED.

Naples, June 19.—The North German Lloyd steamer Hohenzollern, of New York, June 4, has been slightly damaged in a collision with the Dutch steamer Konig. The latter sustained no damage.

TROLLEY CARS

Will Run Between New York and Boston.

New Haven, Conn., June 19.—An order just handed down by the supreme court has made it possible for the final link to be completed in a chain of connecting trolley lines between New York city and Boston, a half mile at Westport, Conn., alone excepted. Work on the new line, permission to construct which has just been secured, will be started at once.

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LAFAYETTE NEWS.

Mrs. States and son, and her sister Mrs. Garner, of Cairo, made a short, but delightful visit with their aunt, Mrs. Frank Ulrich, the past week.

On Thursday last, Mr. and Mrs. Westby and son of West Cairo, spent the day with Mrs. Caroline Crane.

Rev. Spear and family, of Hicksville, Ohio, who have been here for a visit, before returning home, preached two able and practical sermons to very appreciative audiences, Sunday.

The county C. E. rally held here last Saturday and Sunday, was well attended. They perfected a county C. E. society, with Miss Clevenger, of Gomer, as county field secretary. Miss Clevenger aided much to the rally in singing appropriate solos. Rev. Hubbell, the state field secretary, fully met the expectations of the people in his Sunday morning sermon, and his Sunday evening's address to the Christian Endeavorers, on the world's work, of their different departments, and the wonderful victories achieved in evangelistic lines.

Mrs. Verity, with her son and daughter, of Waukon, Ohio, and Mrs. Brown, of Indiana, have returned to their respective homes after a few days visit with Rev. and Mrs. Barker.

Mr. Amanda Copeland and her two sons, Conn and James, have returned to Paulding, after a visit of two weeks with her mother and old friends.

Miss Blanche Kinsey and Miss Ella Muir, left last Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kinsey and other relatives in Pittsburg, Pa.

Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Rudy, of Lima, Sundayed at the home of Mrs. Rudy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Munbaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ulrich, left Tuesday morning for Chicago, Ill., to attend the wedding of their cousin, Miss Mabel League.

Recently I have been thinking quite a good deal of the activities of the women of Lafayette, and vicinity in the material interests of the churches, and of the several lines of work in benevolent organizations—such as the Eastern Stars, the Rebekahs and the Maccabees; the latter having been instituted within the last week, closing out with a banquet with lots of guests from Ada and Beaverdam, and I am wondering whether there would be any women left in the town to take up the work of the Woman's Foreign and Woman's Home Missionary societies of the churches, and the work of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union—the latter being the largest missionary society in the world outside of the church, and yet of the church. The only woman's organization outside of the church that fights the liquor traffic, and its attending evils is the W. C. T. U. The W. C. T. U. women are loyal to the church to which they belong, and they all have some church with which they are identified. They are interested in all the benevolences, missions, and the educational interests of the church, and help in keeping the machinery of the church moving.

Every church woman is not interested in all of the departments of church work, and especially that which pertains to the missionary department, and all do not study "The relations of temperance to missions." That done, it would be only a question of time when those interested in the spread of the gospel would be identified with the temperance work, and helping to assume the responsibilities, and helping to lessen the burdens of each other, and by this means, accomplish greater good. There would be more money in God's treasury, more missionaries supported, both in the home and foreign fields, and less rum laden ships, sent to heathen countries, to counteract the good that should be done.

The W. C. T. U. is a Christian and progressive organization, and is so recognized the world over, by the wisest and most eminent Christian men and women of the age. "The Woman's Crusade of Ohio," says President Bashford, "was the beginning of the greatest movement of the 19th century. Future generations will refer to it as one of the epochs, which marks the dawn of a century of higher Christian civilization."

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DAUGHTERS

Of Rebekah Held Their Annual Convention.

The Daughters of Rebekah, held their fourth annual convention at Cridersville, yesterday, and there were large representations from Lima, St. Johns, Spencerville, St. Marys, Wapakoneta, and New Bremen. Thirty-five members of the Spencerville lodge, came over to Lima yesterday morning, and a Western Ohio car was employed to take the delegates to the convention. The exercises were held in the afternoon, and after a supper served in the town hall, degrees were conferred on a number of applicants.

REMARKABLE BLIND MAN.

Newburgh, N. Y., June 19.—David S. Sells, a remarkable blind man, 14 dead here, aged 73. Although sightless from boyhood, he became a few years ago, by his own efforts, one of the foremost business men of Newburgh. He manufactured patent chairs of his own invention, and employed many men. He also helped to develop a system of industrial education for the blind.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, is everywhere recognized as the one remedy that can always be depended upon and that is pleasant to take. It is especially valuable for summer diarrhoea in children and is undiarrhoea the means of saving the lives of a great many children each year. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

LARGE LIST OF GRADUATES.

Chicago, June 19.—Northwestern University held its 45th commencement last night at the Auditorium and sent out the largest class in its history, degrees being conferred upon 501 graduates, over fifty more than last year. The Rev. Dr. Hattie Hughes, of Kansas City, delivered the commencement address, speaking on "The Art of Living."


Head Feels Like Bursting.

Maybe you were out late last night? If you had taken a Krause's Headache capsule before retiring your head would be cool and clear this morning. Take one now and you will be all right in an half hour. Price 25c. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

NOTICE I. O. O. F.

All members of Golden Gate Rebekah Lodge are requested to meet at the lodge room, Sunday afternoon, June 21, at 1:30 to attend memorial services. All transient Rebekahs are also invited.

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Fresh from the world's most famous makers. There is a character, dignity, a general attractiveness in our new spring stock that makes it interesting. They have the made-for-you appearance that stands out and will bear the scrutiny of the most expert tailor.

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LIMA, OHIO.



SUMMER EXCURSIONS.

Commencing June 1st, and continuing daily until Sept. 30th, the Erie railroad will sell low rate round trip tickets to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Glenwood Springs, Colo., Ogden, Salt Lake City, El Paso, Tex., St. Paul and Minneapolis. Tickets good returning Oct. 31, 1903. For information, see your nearest Erie agent, or write,

W. S. MORRISON, T. P. A.
Lima, Aug 15 Marion, Ohio.

Reduced Fares via Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets will be sold via Pennsylvania lines as follows:
To St. Louis, Mo., June 16 and 17, account Thirty-first Saengerfest of North American Saengerbund.
To Boston, Mass., July 2nd to 5th, inclusive, account National Educational Association.
For particulars consult ticket agents of Pennsylvania lines. d&w-tt

BUFFALO-NIAGARA FALLS.

New train via Erie railroad Leaves 11:02 p. m., for cadville, Corry, Jamestown, Bradford. Phone 60, for sleeping car reservations. 12-201

LODGE

Of Catholic Forest-
ers to Meet

In South Lima

Several Persons Taken
to Hospital.

Delegation Return From the
Rebekah Convention at
Cridersville.

Modern Woodmen of America Will
Hold Memorial Services at Grace
M. E. Church Sunday
Evening at 7:30.

Several of Catholic Foresters will
meet at St. John's hall this evening to
transact other business of importance, after which, a
banquet of sociability will be enjoyed.

Taken to Hospital.
A. Amos Gillett, residing in the
Roxbury block on south Main street,
was taken in Eckert's invalid coach
to the hospital yesterday afternoon.
A colored woman employed at Lath-

NOW that the heat of
summer is here thousands
are realizing how low their
ambition, vitality and resis-
tive force has become.

They are easily exhausted,
heat seems unusually oppres-
sive, feel draggy—all
fagged out. They feel the
need of a tonic that will build
them up from the very founda-
tion; give them strength, life,
activity.

Hagee's Cordial of Cod
Liver Oil is an
ideal summer tonic, a build-
er—revitalizer—reconstruc-
tive that physicians of all
schools prescribe for these
conditions. Pleasant to take.
Contains all the active prop-
erties of cod liver oil with-
out the grease.

Prepared by
J. M. Spicer, St. Louis, Mo.

am's restaurant became suddenly and
seriously ill this morning and was con-
veyed in Eckert's coach to the hos-
pital.

Returned from Convention.
The fourth annual convention of the
Rebekahs of the eighteenth district
was held in the Odd Fellows hall
at Cridersville yesterday. The ses-
sion was interesting and helpful. A
number of excellent papers were read,
among which was an exceptionally
meritorious one by Miss Kitty McCoy,
of south Elizabeth street, entitled,
"The History of the Rebekah Degree."
After the business of the meeting
had been disposed of social features
including a banquet, were enjoyed.

Delegates were present from Lima,
Spencer, St. Marys, New Bremen,
St. John, Wapakoneta and Sidney.

The next convention will be held at
Wapakoneta.

Base Ball Games.
The boiler-makers, helpers and em-
ployees of the refinery and the Lima
Locomotive works will play ball on
the local grounds Sunday morning.

The local team known as the Pirates
will play with the team at Criders-
ville Sunday.

Maxwell's Americans are dated for a
game with the Waynesfield club Sun-
day.

Memorial Service.
At Grace M. E. church, Sunday even-
ing, at seven-thirty o'clock, impressive
memorial services will be conducted
for the Modern Woodmen of America,
and the Royal Neighbors. The dis-
course for the occasion will be de-
livered by the pastor, Rev. Wm. J.
Hagerman. A special musical pro-
gram will be rendered.

Told About People.
A C. Shappell went to Muncie, Ind.,
this morning upon a business trip.

At the home of the bride's parents,
Mr. and Mrs. William Young, of Ada,
last night Miss Carrie Young was
united in wedlock to Ernest Thomp-
son of West Liberty. The bride who,
until recently, was a teacher in the
public schools at Ada is well and fa-
vorably known in this city, where she
has frequently visited.

John H. Hay of Marion, Ind., is the
guest of his daughter, Mrs. G. A. Her-
bert, of 925 south Elizabeth street.

Jacob Hoffman is confined to his
home 111 west Vine street, by illness.

Charles Rice of south Union street,
is visiting at Sharon, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lutz, of Allen
town, were entertained at the home of
Rev. William J. Hagerman, of 715
south Elizabeth street.

S. J. Morgan of Franklin street,
left yesterday for a visit at Le Fever,
Pennsylvania.

Bill and Carl Mack, of Spencer,
Ind., are the guests of local relatives.

Miss Alice Stuckey of south Union
street is at Allen for a few days.

Mrs. O. J. Baker of the south Eliza-
beth street is visiting at Mrs. J. W.
Lutz's.

Le Roy Wheeler, of 120 east 81st
street, transacted business at Criders-
ville yesterday.

A. J. Gladwell, of south Main street,
is home from a business trip to Day-
ton.

H. C. Napier, of south Elizabeth
street, was a Dayton visitor yesterday.
Mrs. Charles Gallant, of Bluffton, is
visiting at A. M. Neuwander's on
Broadway.

Ora Carina, formerly of this city,
but now of Chillicothe, where he is
employed as a fireman upon the Balti-
more & Ohio railroad is here for a
few days visit with friends.

Mrs. Frederick Cook, and son, are
visiting friends, at Toledo. Before re-
turning, they will also visit at Kendal-
ville, Ind.

Mrs. Charles Simons, of 701 east
Kibby street, hospitably entertained a
number of friends, at her home, yes-
terday afternoon.

Miss Ida Page, has returned to her
home at New Bremen.

course of treatment at the city hospi-
tal.

Mrs. Amos Kellar, of east Eureka
street, is entertaining Mrs. Alice
Shunck and Mrs. Ida Boyan, of Tole-
do.

M. E. Tucker, is spending a few days
at Delphos.

Frank DeVoe and wife, of south
Jackson street, have returned from
Kentown, where they attended the Fur-
ney-Chapman wedding.

H. Sheets, of St. Johns avenue, re-
turned last night, from a pleasure trip
to Dayton.

Frank Lincoln of east Vine street,
returned last night from an excursion
to Dayton.

"I have been troubled for some time
with indigestion and sour stomach,"
says Mrs. Sarah W. Curtis, of Loc-
berlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets
which have helped me very much so
that now I can eat many things that
before I could not." If you have any
trouble with your stomach why not
take these Tablets and get well? For
sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice
corner.

LAND SAKES!

That Flaxy Boy Did Cake
Walk Into Matrimony.

George W. Cunningham and Miss
Phyllis Saunders Were Wed-
ded Last Evening.

Hon. George Washington Cunning-
ham better known as "Flaxy", the
renowned champion cake walker of
Ohio, Indiana and Dabney, gave his
friends the slip last night and took
away himself a charming bride, the
happy blushing lady being Miss
Phyllis Saunders. The wedding oc-
curred in the apartments prepared in
advance by the groom in the Coln
block, and the ceremony was perform-
ed by the Rev. Mr. Clark, pastor of the
Second Baptist church.

far colds in the head, chest throat or
any portion of the body, breaks up a
cold in 24 hours without interruption
to work. Will prevent colds if taken
when first symptoms appear. Price
25c. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old
post office corner.

ATTENTION SUNDAY SCHOOL
WORKERS

Every Sunday school worker of
Lima is expected to be present at the
ward convention to be held in the
First Baptist church, on north Cen-
tral avenue, Sunday, June 21st, 1908,
at 2:30 p. m. This is to be the first
of the four ward conventions that are
to be held once every quarter, during
the year.

A good program has been arranged
and it is felt that every person attend-
ing the convention cannot fail to get
some good out of it. Rev. Curry and
Rev. Figler, will speak and there will
also be talks on primary work by Mrs.
Collins.

We want the State Sunday School
convention for 1904, and now they
want to come here, and have asked
for the privilege. Come out to the
meeting Sunday at the convention,
where this question will be decided.
"Shall we have the State Sunday
school convention in 1904?"

A Costly Mistake.
Blunders are sometimes very ex-
pensive. Occasionally life itself is the
price of a mistake, but you'll never be
wrong if you take Dr. King's New
Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness,
Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles.
They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at
H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner
Main and North streets.

DEGREES CONFERRED.

Allentown, Pa., June 19. -- Muhlen-
berg college has just graduated
twenty-six men as bachelors of arts,
and one as bachelor of science, con-
ferring also the degree of master of
arts on sixteen, and master of sciences
on one. The degree of doctor of divini-
ty was conferred on Rev. Elmer F.
Kraus and Rev. Mattis C. Ransel,
both of Chicago. The latter is presi-
dent of the general council of the
Lutheran church. Dr. Kraus is a pro-
fessor in the Chicago Theological Sem-
inary.

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And Other Itching, Burning and
Scaly Eruptions.

Instant Relief and Speedy
Cure Afforded by

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills
When All Else Fails.

COMPLETE TREATMENT, \$1.00.

The agonizing itching and burning of
the skin, as in eczema; the frightful
scaling, as in psoriasis; the loss of hair
and crusting of the scalp, as in scalded
head; the facial disfigurement, as in
pimples and ringworm; the awful suf-
fering of infants and the anxiety of
worn-out parents, as in milk crust, tet-
ter and salt rheum, all demand a reme-
dy of almost superhuman virtues to
successfully cope with them. That
Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills are
such stands proven beyond all doubt.
No statement is made regarding them
that is not justified by the strongest
evidence. The purity and sweetness,
the power to afford immediate relief,
the certainty of speedy and permanent
cure, the absolute safety and great
economy, have made them the standard
skin cures and humor remedies of the
civilized world.

Bathe the affected parts with hot
water and Cuticura Soap, to cleanse the
surface of crusts and scales and soften
the thickened cuticle. Dry, without
rubbing, and apply Cuticura Oint-
ment freely to allay itching, irritation
and inflammation, and soothe and heal,
and, lastly, in the severer forms, take
Cuticura Resolvent Pills, to cool and
cleanse the blood. A single set is often
sufficient to cure the most torturing,
disfiguring and humiliating skin, scalp
and blood humors, with loss of hair,
when all else fails.

WEDDING

Takes Place at High Noon
at Harrod.

The following invitations announce
ing the approaching nuptials of two
young people have been received by
relatives and friends in Lima, of the
contracting parties.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harrod
requests the honor of your
presence at the marriage
of their daughter,
Lena F.
to

Charles Harpster,
Saturday, June 27, 1908,
at twelve o'clock,
at their residence
Harrod, Ohio.

Mr. Harpster is an operator in the
employ of the Pennsylvania, but be-
fore taking up railroad work was one
of the popular clerks at Albrecht's
clothing store. Mr. and Mrs. Harry
Harpster, of Lima will attend the
wedding.

During the summer kidney irregu-
larities are often caused by excessive
drinking or being overheated. At-
tend to the kidneys at once by using
Poley's Kidney Cure.

Sold by H. F. Vorkamp, corner
Main and North streets.

ANNUAL TOURNAMENT.

St. Louis, Mo., June 19.—Sharpshoot-
ers from several states participated in
the fourth annual tournament of the
Central Marksmen's union, which be-
gan at the Bohringville range, of the
local branch of the organization.

About 200 marksmen are on hand to
take part in the shoot. Chicago, Mil-
waukee, Boston and various other
large cities sent delegations. Among
the contestants is Harry Folk, of
Chillicothe Falls, Mass., holder of the
championship. In all, \$6,500 in prizes
are being contested for in the follow-
ing events: Point target, people's tar-
get, man target, world's fair target,
honor target, stitch target, Kings tar-
get and team contest. The first four
events are open to the world, but the
last four are open only to members of
the organization. The contest will con-
tinue Friday and Saturday, and on
Sunday, a meeting of the union will
be held.

In order to prove to you
that Dr. A. W. Chase's
Ointment is a certain and
absolute cure for any form
of itching, bleeding, or
protruding piles, the manufacturers guaran-
tee a cure. You can use it and if not
cured get your money back. Mr. Casper
Walton, laborer, Michigan City, Ind., says:
"I work hard and lift a great deal. The strain
brought on an attack of piles. They itched
and they protruded and bled. Nothing helped
them until I used Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment.
That cured them." 50c. a box at all dealers, or
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IMPORTANT.

Economically inclined people should not
let our Forced Bargain Sale go by without
laying in their full supply of Summer Clothing
and Shoes. We are making hundreds of new
customers through our low prices.
Here are a few of them.

Men's and Young Men's Clothing.

\$5.45 for fine all wool stylish Suits, cut in modern
style light and dark colors, never sold at less than
\$10.00.

\$7.45 black, clay, blue serge, fancy cassimere and
worsted Suits, all sizes, worth \$12.00 to \$13.50.

\$8.85 fine dress Suits, in black, blue, fancy light and
dark mixed effects, all this season's styles, worth
\$18.00.

\$9.85 imported materials of the best quality, never
sold at less than \$16.00 to \$18.00.

\$11.45 grandest values ever offered. Must be seen
to be appreciated.

\$13.45 choice of finest garments in the store. Hand
tailored, equal to best custom made.

Children's Knee Pants, former value \$2.00, sale
price..... \$1.25

Boys' Suits in long pants, former value \$10.00,
\$12.00 and \$13.50, sale price..... 5.00

Gents' Furnishings.

Good work Shirts, worth 35c, at..... 18c

Best 50c and 60c Shirts..... 38c

Fine Dress Shirts, worth 50c..... 38c

Best 75c Dress Shirts, stiff and soft..... 59c

Fine \$1.00 and \$1.25 Shirts..... 89c

25c Suspenders..... 20c or 2 pair for 25c

15c Socks..... 2 pair for 15c

15c Fancy Socks..... 11c

Best Linen Collars..... 10c

10c Socks, 2 pair for..... 8c

10c Handkerchiefs, 2 for..... 8c

25c Bow Ties..... 10c

25c Imported Socks, 2 pair for..... 20c

35c Underwear..... 39c

Best 50c Balbriggan Underwear..... 98c

Men's \$2.00 and \$3.00 Hats, tan or brown..... 48c

Men's white and fancy Wash Vests..... 19c

Boys' 25c Caps..... 47c

\$1.00 Umbrellas..... 69c

\$1.50 Umbrellas..... 69c

Pants Department.

Boys' Knee Pants, former value 40c, sale price,
20c, 2 pair for..... 35c

Boys' Knee Pants, former value 75c, sale price..... 39c

Men's Work Pants, former value \$1.25, sale price..... 88c

Men's fine Dress Pants, former value \$2.00, sale
price..... \$1.25

One lot Men's fine Dress Pants, former value
\$2.50 and \$3.00, sale price..... 1.95

Men's fine Worsted Pants, former value \$1.00
and \$5.00, sale price..... 2.90

Boys' Wash Pants..... 20c

Shoe Values.

Men's On Grain Shoes, former value \$1.50,
sale price..... 95c

Men's fine Dress Shoes, worth \$1.50..... \$1.09

Men's Dress Shoes, former value \$2, sale price..... 1.30

Men's fine Dress Shoes in Vic Kid, former value
\$2.50, sale price..... 1.45

Men's fine Dress Shoes, former value \$3, sale
price..... 1.95

Men's fine Dress Shoes, all Leathers, worth \$4..... 3.15

Ladies' Shoes, former value \$1.50, sale price..... 1.10

Ladies' Dongola Lace Shoes, former value \$1.75,
sale price..... 98c

Ladies' fine Kid Shoes, former value \$2, sale price..... 1.35

Ladies' fine Shoes in light or heavy soles, former
value \$2.50, sale price..... 1.45

Ladies' \$3.00 Dress Shoes..... 1.95

Ladies' finest French Kid \$3 and \$4 Shoes, hand
turned and welt soles..... 2.95

Boys' splendid Shoes..... 95c

Large lot of Ladies' small size button Shoes, for-
mer price \$3, \$3.50 and \$4, sale price..... 75c

Thousands of other Bargains just as good.

Follow the crowds to the

UNION'S FORCED BARGAIN SALE.

Great Mid-Summer Clearance Sale.

Thousands of dollar's worth of goods sacrificed rather than carry them over. This
is your money saving opportunity. Never such low prices on
good goods. Don't fail to attend.

This special reduction sale began last week and so far it has been by far the
most successful sale we ever gave and it's because we are giving the best values
for the money we ever gave. Our extra force of salesladies cannot wait on the
crowd of eager buyers at times, but we are making special arrangements that the
wants of all will be satisfactorily looked after in the future. Unfortunately for us
we bought too many goods for our room, but fortunately for you this BIG RE-
DUCTION SALE gives you the same opportunity of buying millinery and ladies'
and children's furnishings that the merchant has. This sale will only last a few
days yet and it is only given to reduce our over-stocked room. Look over this
list and you will see many things you need which you can get at wholesale prices:

Tailor-made Suits
Separate Skirts
Mince Skirts
Silk Waists
Ladies' Silk Jackets
Children's Jackets
Wash Skirts
Wash Petticoats
Silk Petticoats
Mercerized Skirts
Plain and Fancy Hose
Hose Supporters
Belts and Buckles
Belt Broaches
Waist Sets
Collars

Silk and Wash Ties
Handkerchiefs
Kid Gloves
Muslin Underwear
Knit Underwear
Baby Wraps
Chiffon Boas
Wrappers
Dressing Sacques
Corsets and Laces
Bustles
Hip Pads
Dress Shields
Baby Dresses
Embroidery Floss
Pillow Tops

Pillow Cases
Wire Hair Pins
Rubber Hair Pins
Back Combs
Side Combs
Hair Switches
Rats and Bangs
Ribbons
Flames
Ties and Feathers
Velvet and Silks
Chiffons and Mulls
Veilings
Beads
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Come as early in the week and in the forenoons if possible as our store is
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don't fit him. To be yourself you
want individuality in style, and when
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THE WEATHER.

Washington June 10—For Ohio
Showers tonight and Saturday

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Representative.

JOHN W. MANGUS,
of Richland Township

For Sheriff.

EUGENE J. BARR,
of Lima

For Treasurer.

MINOR C. CROSSLEY,
of Lima

For Commissioner.

ALEXANDER L. CONRAD,
of Blount

For Surveyor.

CHARLES E. CRAIG,
of Monroe Township

For Coroner.

DR. ANDREW W. BICE,
of Lima

For Infirmary Director.

C. H. MOSIER,
of Marion Township.

Brackets to the postoffice depart-
ment what Foulds is to St. Louis

There is a disposition on the part of
many people to change the name of
the postoffice department to corruption
department

If Peter one time, has ever heard
the saw, that self preservation is the
first law of nature, he won't be in a
hurry to locate and punish the assass-
ins of Alexander and his spouse. The
people who did the killing made Kara-
king and they are capable of un-
making a king

With hearse drivers holding up fun-
eral corteges because some one in
charge of a pair of lines doesn't be-
long to a union, with coffin makers on
a strike, and undertakers in a combi-
nation it makes the fellow "who is
thinking of dying wonder what sort
of a double cross St. Peter will spring
on him

The Heppner incident is closed;
Gainesville as a subject of news, is
washed off the map, the Jett-White
murder trial has been ended so far as
the lower court goes. The sweet girl
graduates have gone out into the
world and a quiet summer season can
be expected unless Foster by his fore-
casts scares up something terrible.

During a wild animal show in
Springfield Ill. yesterday, two large
lions, named respectively, "Orpheus"
and "Roosevelt" got at each other.
"Orpheus" in the combat cut "Roose-
velt's" throat causing death in fifteen
minutes. Astrologers today predict
that between this and 1904, history
will repeat itself with the real thing—
actors in the ring

MET WITH REFUSAL.

Chicago June 10—The joint board
of hotel restaurant and saloon em-
ployes unions after an executive ses-
sion early today, sent still another
committee to treat with the employers
association. An appeal was first
made to the trustees, engineers and
firemen to aid them by calling a sym-
pathetic strike that they might make
good their threats when peace nego-
tiations were broken off last night
that a complete tie-up would result.
They were met with a refusal the only
assurance they could secure being that
a final effort would be made by the
steamer power council to make another
effort today to end the strike.

PRESIDENT
AND CABINET

Decide to Use Military Force If Nec-
essary to Secure Gunboat.

The Old Dominion State Must Recede From Its
Position or Take the Consequence for
Sizing Government Property.

Washington June 10—The time of
the cabinet meeting today was con-
sumed in large part by the considera-
tion of the legal questions involved in
the decision of the United States gov-
ernment to disregard the decision of
the court of Virginia, and seize the in-
complete gunboat Galveston, at the
Trigg ship yards in Richmond. At-
torney-General Knox presented a care-
fully prepared opinion on the subject,
strongly affirming the right of the
government to disregard the injunction
granted yesterday, in the Virginia
court, which forbids the resumption of
work on the Galveston pending a set-
tlement of the claim of the sub-con-
tractors who had not been paid for
material furnished.

In concluding his opinion, the At-
torney General says:

"One further point remains to be
considered. The letter of the Secre-
tary of the Navy, requests to be autho-
rized to employ, if necessary, the mili-
tary forces of the government at his
disposal for the execution of his or-
ders in the premises. I am loth to be-
lieve that occasion for such exertion
of the federal powers will arise, being

confident that any claim to interfere
with the national rights under the ju-
dicial authority of the state of Vir-
ginia will be promptly disposed of, and
denied by the chancery court. For this
reason, I shall defer answering that
question."

The cabinet after considering this
opinion unanimously decided that the
government's case was sound, and that
the program outlined yesterday by Mr.
Moody, should be pursued. An effort
will be made, therefore to launch the
boat, next Monday, if circumstances
permit. It is intimated that informa-
tion will be conveyed to the Virginia
justice who granted the injunction in
this case, that he has exceeded his
proper functions, and it is expected
that he will withdraw from what the
Attorney General and the President
regard as an untenable position, thus
avoiding any clash at Richmond. The
postmaster General also consumed a
portion of the time of the meeting,
but it is stated without reference to
the pending prosecutions, and investi-
gation in his department his presenta-
tion being confined to matters con-
nected with the civil service rule, and ap-
pointments.

GRAND JURY
INQUIRING

Into the Sale of Cash Registers to the
United States Government.

New York June 10—The Federal and Grand E. Little, Winfield Scott
grand jury in Brooklyn today com-
menced an inquiry into the sale of
cash registers to the United States
government for use in postoffices.
Those subpoenaed to testify include
Postoffice Inspector James F. Oldfield

PROPRIETOR OF
GET-RICH-QUICK

Concern Walked Into Court Room This Morning
and Surrendered Himself to the Authori-
ties. He Will Give Bond.

St. Louis, Mo. June 10—E. J. Arn-
old, proprietor of the Arnold Turf in-
vestment Co., chief of the exploded
"get-rich-quick" concerns appeared at
the four courts shortly after 11
o'clock, today and surrendered him-
self. Arnold, who is charged in in-
dictments with fraud has been missing
since his company went to pieces in
February. Attorney Thomas J. Rowe,
accompanied Arnold to the 4 courts.
They entered room No. 8, where
Arnold stated that he was ready to
give bond.

Arnold's manager, Lumpkin A. Gill,
is also under indictment, and has been
missing from the city ever since.

Upon surrendering himself, Arnold
announced that he was ready to give
bond to answer the seven indictments

against him. The bonds on each
charge were prepared, and after being
signed, Arnold accompanied by his
wife, attorney and bondsmen, left the
court room and drove away.

The indictments charge Arnold
with embezzlement as bailor the same
as that returned against John J. Ryan
of the company bearing his name,
which was dismissed last week. Arn-
old's appearance has been expected
since the charges against Ryan failed.

Arnold declined to make any state-
ment, as to his whereabouts since he
was sought by the February grand
jury, after the collapse of his company
except to say that he had been out of
the United States. He also denied all
knowledge of the whereabouts of
Lumpkin A. Gill, his manager.

TRACK
NOTES.

Leo Netorg, who is travelling for a
Rochester shoe house, is the guest of
his parents, on West Wayne street.

Miss Maude VanNormer, of Brad-
ford Pa. is the guest of her sister,
Mrs. E. E. Linn, of north McDowell
street.

Miss Edith Forgie, of Pittsburgh, is
the guest of Lima friends.

Miss Pearl Grafton, who has been
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kirk,
of west Market street for the past
month, returns to Findlay next Friday.

OLD RAILROADER DEAD.

Meriden, Conn., June 10—William
Lyman Squires, treasurer of the New
York, New Haven and Hartford Rail-
way Co., died here today. He was 72
years old.

NOTICE I. O. O. F.

All members of Allen Lodge No. 223
are requested to meet in their hall
Sunday at 1:30 p. m. for the purpose
of attending memorial services. All
brothers in the city are invited to
meet with us. 13 2t

Had No Kick Coming.

"Young man," said the stern parent
to the applicant for job as son-in-law,
"I want you to know that I spent
\$5,000 on my daughter's education."

"Thanks," rejoined the youth who
was trying to break into the family
circle. "Then I won't have to send
her to school again."—Chicago News

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

COMMUNION SERVICES.

At the German Baptist Brethren
church on east Elm street, Saturday
evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, will
be observed the first love feast of the
Brethren ever held in the city. We
earnestly desire that every member be
present, and to those not members, we
say "come and see if we preach what
the Gospel teaches." On Sunday the
usual services will be observed: Sun-
day school at 9:30 a. m., preaching at
10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. We invite
you to come.

COAL STRIKE ENDED.

Victoria B. C., June 10—The coal
strike on Vancouver Island, in conse-
quence of which, steamers have had
to bring coal from New Castle and
Japan to supply the coast market held
by the Vancouver Island collieries, is
now at an end. The striking miners
have petitioned Mr. Dunsmuir, head
of the mining company, to be allowed
to return to work and he will meet
them at Ladysmith today.

M'BETH PARK

LIMA'S BEAUTY SPOT.

VAUDEVILLE: SEASON.

WEEK COMMENCING
SUNDAY AFTERNOON June 21
Matinees Thursday and Sunday, 2 p. m.

THE 3 KEATONS

Joe, Myra and Buster. Eccentric Comedy
Acrobats

SISTERS M'CONNELL.

Artistic Singers and Dancers

Mack & Elliott "In the New Min-
ister."

JAMES W. THOMPSON.

The Prime Minister of Ethiopian Comedy.

The Projectoscope.

Latest and Best Moving Pictures

Score of Novel Summer Diversions.

The Wonderful Scenic Railway.

The School of Mines.

The Laughing Gallery.

DANCING—THE ARION TRIO.

PONY TRACK, CAROUSEL.

Fishing, Boating, Bowling

Reserved Seats One Week in Advance at
Western Office by Waiting Room

OLD
HICKORY

Enjoy Your
Veranda & Lawn
this
Summer

For real comfort, ease
and summer pleasure, rest
and soothe yourself in one
of the celebrated

Old Hickory Chairs

They are made entirely of hickory
from original designs. Last a life-
time in sunshine or rain. Comfort-
able, stylish and wonderfully
appropriate for interior as well as
exterior use. Chair illustrated above
is our No. 29 Woven Back Rocker.
Popular style and good value. Fine
for the exhausted woman, faithful
child or tired business man.

\$2.25.

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Lima Dry Goods Co
Saturday Bargains

In the Millinery Department

Ladies' and Misses Low Crown Wide Brim Sailor Hats
\$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

In the Garment Store.

25 per cent discount on all cloth Suits,
Skirts, Coats and Silk Coats.

Silk Petticoats.

Handsome taffeta silk Petticoats in black and colors,
wide corded flounce and dust ruffle, regular value \$6.50.

Special for this Saturday only \$3.98 each.

Only 47 left in that special lot of ladies' Dress and
Walking Skirts, made of the best materials and in the best
and most popular styles—some quite plain others elabor-
ately trimmed, all colors and all sizes, regular value \$5.00,
6.00 and 7.50, at \$3.49 each.

Hosiery for Misses and
Children.

We want to have you look at these four special items,
then look at any you may find any where at these prices,
there's no question about where you'll buy when you com-
pare.

"Never Fail" a fine ribbed fast black hose with double
knee, heel and toe, a stocking for misses and children that
never fails to give entire satisfaction, price 15c pair.

Children's fancy fast black lace hose, all sizes 5 to 9,
special at 12 1/2-20c the pair.

Misses' Lisle finish fast black lace hose, straight cut or full fashioned, double heel
and toe, special at 15c the pair.

Misses' very fine full fashioned fancy lace stripe hose, exceptional value at 25c pair.

Ladies'
Neckwear.

Special lot of ladies' fancy collars.
Fine lawn with neat embroidery
turn over.

Batiste with fine Venice lace turn
over.

Honiton lace turn over on cambric
band, all very attractive styles, special
at 25c each.

Ladies'
Belts.

New Belts for ladies' and misses',
taffeta silk, morie silk, armure silk, all
choice styles, at 25c, 39c and 50c each.

Special odd lot leather, not the lat-
est styles but the regular 50c qualities at
25c each.



Special lot ladies' night gowns, four choice styles, very full size and handsomely
trimmed, 50c each.

CORSET COVERS. Do you wear a large size 36, 38, 40 or 42? In this odd lot of
corset covers there are no small sizes, nothing smaller than 36, they are good quality mus-
lin and cambric, excellent styles and neatly trimmed, regular prices are 25c, 35c and 39c,
because the sizes are broken we've marked them 15c each.

Purses and Bags.

Excellent quality seal and walrus
wrist bags and chain purses, 25c each.

Seal wrist bags, full leather, colors
or black, 50c, \$1.00 and 1.50 each.

Very fine automobile bags, variety
of sizes and colors, \$2.00, 2.50 and 2.75
each.

Linens.

Another lot of the splendid un-
bleached Russia Crash at 5c the yard.

Large size roller towels of excellent
quality Russia Crash, ready to use 25c
each.

Extra large size hemmed unbleached
turkish towels, splendid value 25c each.

Large size double finish turkish bath
towel [linen on one side and cotton on
the other] 35c each.

Fine quality fancy plaid turkish tow-
els 18x40 inches, 25c each.

50 dozen excellent quality turkish
wash cloths, 3c each.

Muslin Underwear for Saturday.

Special lot ladies' fine muslin and cambric skirts
with wide double flounce of lawn trimmed with tucks,
lace and insertion, remarkable value at \$1.00 each.

Ladies' fine cambric skirts with 20 inch lawn
flounce of three ruffles, trimmed with hemstitched
tucks, also 18 inch lawn double flounce with panels of
lace insertion, finished with wide ruffle edged with
lace, special at \$1.50 each.

R. T. GREGG & CO.

**WAISTS
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WAISTS**

500 more beautiful Waists to select from. The deal was closed on this assortment a few days ago and they are here in the house ready for your inspection. The values are better than any heretofore offered. Their real worth in any market would be from \$1.50 to \$2 each. Our special price, while they last, is only

89c.

You know our reputation on the waist question. We say they are great values.

**Wash Goods.
Wash Goods**

The season is at hand. We offer 1 special line of Batiste, 28 in. wide, for only

34c.

Thousands of yards of others in the leading lines on the market at attractive prices, at 10, 12, 15, 20 and 25c. See them.

R. T. Gregg & Co.

SUGGESTION FROM PAYNE

That Money Order Supt. Metcalfe Was Convicted by His Own Statement.

Washington, June 19.—Postmaster General Payne has received a report from Assistant Attorney General Robinson's reply to the former's request for a statement, whether the decision of the postoffice department in their Ryan turf investment case signed by former acting Assistant Attorney General Christy, is in accordance with the law and the facts. Mr. Payne is not yet ready to make the report public. Mr. Christy is still under suspension. Postal officials are in touch with him and it is believed that final disposition of his case is delayed with a view to securing further information from him, concerning the administration of his office. Postmaster General Payne has not announced his final action on the appeal of former superintendent Metcalfe, of the money order system, for a suspension of the order of dismissal, but the disposition of the appeal is foreshadowed by a suggestion from Mr. Payne that Mr. Metcalfe was convicted on his own statement at a full hearing.

THE AUTO VICTIMS WILL BOTH RECOVER.

Description of Their Injuries Show Them to Be Badly Disfigured—Dr. Morgan Will Be Crippled for Life.

Reports from Drs. Tuttle and Morgan, the Van Wert physicians who were injured in automobile accident at Marion Ind. confirm yesterday's dispatches. A consultation of physicians was held at the Marion hospital this morning after a careful examination of the injured men. Dr. Tuttle has a broken nose, his teeth were nearly all knocked out and his face is so badly cut up that he is unrecognizable and one rib is fractured. He will, however, be about in a few days. Dr. Morgan's injuries are of more serious nature. His left leg is broken, left knee cap split, and his right leg is broken in two places below the knee. The attending physicians have decided that Morgan will necessarily be a cripple for life, and that it will be several months before he can get out of the hospital. Dr. Morgan who is surgeon for the Penna. R. R., was a few years ago, a prominent member of Shawnee Commandery K. T. Dr. Reed of Van Wert, is a constant attendant on the injured.

ADMITTED NEW STATES.

Virginia and Kentucky Taken Into Fellowship with Modern Woodmen.

Indianapolis Ind., June 19.—The Head Camp of Modern Woodmen decided to admit Virginia, Kentucky, the District of Columbia and Arizona, Tennessee, Texas, Arkansas and New Mexico were rejected. The special rating committee was not ready to report at the morning session, asked until two o'clock to complete its work. The head camp will probably be in session until Monday.

PUTNAM County Enthusiast Has Railroad About Built.

He Asserts That Before Snow Flies the T. C. S. & C. Will Be Built.

The Columbus Grove correspondent of the Cleveland Commercial Bulletin says: Information received here from the New York offices of the Toledo Columbus, Springfield & Cincinnati Railway Co., which will build a line across the state is to the effect that the bond issue of \$5,000,000 has been taken, and that no more stock will be

disposed of save to original stock holders, without a premium being asked. It is asserted that before snow flies the line will be completed and opened for traffic. That portion near Lima is fast nearing completion. The line will be 250 miles in length and touch 75 towns in the state. From Cincinnati the line goes to Lebanon, Xenia, Urbana and connects at Bellefontaine with the branch from Columbus. In this county the line follows the Cincinnati Hamilton & Dayton steam railroad.

I. O. O. F.

Memorial services of Allen and Lima I. O. O. F. lodges will be held Sunday June 21st, at Epworth church at 2:30 p. m. the Rev. Geo. Wood Anderson will deliver the address. Every body welcome. 13-2t

**Sweet Betty, with her dainty foot,
Knows a pretty shoe,
And says buying shoes at Wise's
Is the thing you ought to do.**

**Try one of our Oxford specials at
\$1.48.**

You'll never regret it.

WISE SHOE STORE

South-East Cor. Public Square.

PARENTS

Looking for Their Son, Who Ran Away.

A. A. Little Seeks the Aid of the Police in the Matter But no Word Has Been Received.

A. A. Little, of 117 south West street, has asked the police department to assist in locating his son, who disappeared from home yesterday. The boy is 17 years of age and his parents believe that he has started for some eastern point. Chief Mills telephoned to several points along the railroads from Lima, giving a good description of the runaway, but nothing had been heard of him up to press hour this afternoon.

CLOSING EXERCISES.

Closing exercises of St. Johns parochial school takes place in Faurot opera house, Friday night, beginning at 8 o'clock p. m. sharp. Admission 35 cents. 1t

SLAV MINERS

Fatally Burned by Explosion of Powder.

Charleroi, Pa., June 19.—Three slav miners were fatally burned by a powder explosion in the home of Nate Glazes, one of the victims, in the mining settlement of Twilight, last evening. Three cases of powder were in a back room of Glaze's house. He, Mike Zinta and Simo Janur, were in the room smoking their pipes when the explosion occurred. None of the victims can recover, all being turned from head to foot.

California Prune Wafers.

Cure liver disease and all stomach troubles, they act gently but surely strengthen the bowels and stimulate them to healthy action. 100 Wafers 25 Cents. For sale by Wm. M. Metville old postoffice corner.

WHAT TOWNSEND HAS.

Veal Chicken Lamb
Boiled Ham Cooked Tongue
Home Cooked Veal Loaf
Dried Beef Cooked Corned Beef
Fine Home Made Bread
Fresh Vegetables Choice Fruits
Finest Kinds of Cheese
Bulk Olives Bulk Pickles
Chase and Sanborn Coffee
Cocoa Fine Tea

NOTICE I. O. O. F.

All members of Lima Lodge No. 551 are requested to meet in their hall Sunday at 1:30 p. m. for the purpose of attending memorial services. All brothers in the city are invited to meet with us. 13-2t

FIRE IN COAL BUNKER.

Glasgow, June 19.—Captain Wilson of the Anchor Line steamer, Asteris, which has arrived here from New York, reports that on June 7 the day after leaving port, fire was discovered aboard the vessel in the coal bunker between decks which was caused by the fusing of the main electric wires. The damage to the vessel is as yet unknown. The cargo was damaged by water.

JEWISH PROFESSOR RESIGNS.

Cincinnati, O., June 19.—Dr. G. Deutsch, professor of Jewish history and the philosophy of religion in the Hebrew Union college of this city for the past twelve years, has tendered his resignation. He proposes to devote his time to editorial and literary work in New York city.

ATTEMPTED

To Post Letter in Fire Alarm Box No. 71.

About 12 o'clock today the central fire department was called out by an alarm from box No. 71, at Wayne and Charles streets. The long run was made and upon their arrival at the box the firemen found that the alarm had been turned in by an aged lady who had tried to post a letter in the fire alarm box.

CHAILLU'S BODY HERE.

New York, June 19.—The body of Paul Du Chailu, the explorer and author, who died in Russia from paralysis, has arrived here. A delegation from the American Authors' society and from Geographical society met the body at the pier. The funeral will be held next Tuesday.

EXTRAORDINARY VALUES

IN

MEN'S TWO-PIECE SUMMER SUITS

We are selling a great many Suits of this character and the extra good value is responsible for it. Of course just reading it does not substantiate our statement, but if you'll take the time to investigate the following values in Summer Suits, you possibly will be surprised at our offering of high grade clothes at such price economy.

Men's Norfolk Coat and Pants Suits worth eight dollars, at \$5.00.

Men's Wool Crash and fine Flannel Coat and Pant Suits worth twelve dollars, at \$8.00.

Men's fine Donegal Homespun Coat and Pant Suits worth fifteen dollars, at \$10.00.

All made with padded shoulders and non-breakable front coats.

The Mammoth.

NOTICE!

Royal Neighbors of America will hold an ice cream social on the lawn of Mrs. Kizenska south Main street, June 20th 10 cents.

DANCE TONIGHT AT ARMORY.

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REFRIGERATORS

Save
Half
the

ICE BILL.

Sold
Only
by

NEWSON-BOND COMPANY,

**Largest Store
in
LIMA.**

WANTS, FOR RENT, ETC., FOR SALE, ETC.
FOR SALE OR RENT—Property at 523 east Elm street. Inquire of Thomas Korn. 3-3t
WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework; small family; satisfaction. 12-3t

FELDMANN & CO.

Good Hosiery

Is one of the specialties of this store. You get here the most quality at the least price in men's, women's and children's goods. In fancy Hosiery you will always find the latest at our department.

**Some Very Special Values
This Week.**

Ladies' embroidered and black lace Lisle Hose, 50c ones 39c
Ladies' high class Lace and Embroidery Hose, 75c ones 50c
Ladies' splendid Lace Hose in black at 19c
Infants' Lace Socks in white, pink and blue, 15c ones 10c
Children's double knee black Hose, 15c value, all sizes 11c

Feldmann & Co.
209-211 N. Main Street.

Batiste Corsets.

The most up-to-date models at 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Muslin and Knit Underwear

For women and children. The greatest assortment of high class goods, as low in price as inferior goods are sold for.

A Large Collection of Pretty Parasols.

Better than you've ever seen them at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.98. Beautiful coaching and ruffled effects at \$2.50 to \$8.00.

factory wages to right party Apply at once 891 west Market street or to C. D. Crites, First National Bank 12-3t
WANTED—Girls to learn cigar and bunch making. Girls will be paid while learning. Apply at American Cigar Co., corner Main and Elm streets. 204-1m.
WANTED—Competent cook at 1028 west Market street. 97-4t
WANTED—Plain writer to copy letters at home. \$15 paid weekly. Send stamped envelope for sample letter and particulars. Vertizan Co., 24 Park Row, New York.
FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—Five-room house with good cistern, will sell at a bargain on account of removing from the city. Call at 417 Prospect ave. 3-3t
FOR SALE—Fine 4x5 camera, just like new (12 plates) for sale cheap at 322 west Wayne street 3-2t
FOR SALE—Will sell at very reasonable price, enough furniture (nearly new) to furnish small home. Address Bargain, Times office. 11-3t
FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—Modern office rooms, second floor over Times-Democrat office. Steam heat. All rooms well ventilated and light. Pleasantest office rooms in Lima. Inquire at Times-Democrat office. 12-1t

SHUT

Out by the Circuit Court
From Appeals.

A Loop Hole Is Left Open, However,

And the Case May Be Started Again on the Main Issues.

High School Proposition Submitted at Findlay and the Decision of Judge Donnelly Was Sustained.

The controversy which has arisen, because of contention as to the location of the proposed new high school building, promises to be fought out on the main issues, now that there has been a decision rendered denying the right of a temporary injunction. Judge

Donnelly's holding was sustained by the circuit court judges, at Findlay, yesterday, which shuts out the attorneys for the opposing faction, so far as an appeal is concerned, but there is an opening left which gives the losing side a chance to delay matters, even if the final result should end as it was begun.

D. C. Henderson and Charlie Adgate who were retained to oppose the location of the new building, on west High street, appeared before the higher court yesterday, and I. S. Motter acted for those who compose a majority of the board of education. The legal points were presented as previously heard by Judge Donnelly, and the latter's decision, as rendered here Wednesday, was sustained, thus making an appeal out of the question.

A prominent local attorney stated this morning, that the application for a temporary injunction could be presented before another judge, if it was desired, but it would likely result in the same finding, and the only recourse would be to take the case into court on its issues. This opinion conforms with the opinion of the circuit court as rendered yesterday. Messrs. Henderson and Adgate were informed that they could notify the bond buyers that the purchase of the \$75,000 worth of bonds, would be contingent on the decision of the court on the final hearing of the case, and as that amount of money is not generally risked on a venture where there is any uncertainty, a further delay is likely to be caused.

It is the opinion of leading attorneys in the city, that the controversy has been practically settled by Judge Donnelly's decision, and that the spirit of the law will be interpreted rather than the handling of mere technicalities. Judge Donnelly's statement, that the retarding of education and the postponement of the erection of a building so badly needed, would not be upheld, so long as the law had been complied with, has compelled the belief that the board can proceed along the lines laid down by the majority, without further serious interruption. The other side, however, is determined to exhaust every means at hand before submitting to a situation which is plainly objectionable to most of the people on the south side. Sufficient money has been raised to conduct the case through all of the avenues of the courts, and the serious question now is whether the bonds can be disposed of, so long as there is a shade of doubt regarding the final outcome of the controversy.

ATTORNEYS

For the Defendant Could Not Attend

And the Case Against Billie Smallwood Was Postponed Until Monday.

The action against W. J. Smallwood, which was set for this afternoon before Mayor Robb, has been continued until Monday afternoon at one o'clock, because of the fact that his attorneys, Ridenour & Halfhill, are engaged in the defense of Max Bernstein in common pleas court.

Mr. Smallwood is charged with having sold liquor to John Lansdown, a minor.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ATTENTION

Pythian memorial services will be held by Lima Lodge No. 91, at Woodlawn cemetery, in the grove just south of the superintendent's residence, Sunday, June 21st, at 4 o'clock, p. m. All members of the order in the city are respectfully requested to meet at Pythian castle hall at 2 o'clock, p. m., to go with the lodge in a body to the cemetery.

Special cars will be in waiting to take to the cemetery all Knights who may be at the hall, and will leave not later than 2.30 o'clock.

A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to be present at the grove and cemetery to witness the beautiful ceremonies, in honor of our deceased brothers.

J. N. HUTCHINSON,
K. of R. and S.

See WHAT TOWNSEND HAS.

A SHIFT.

A change has been made at Michael's store. The clothing department is now on the north side of the room, and the shoe department on the south side. This is the first change in 20 years.

See WHAT TOWNSEND HAS.

VIOLATION

Of the Vows Taken Eight Years Ago

Is the Foundation of a Divorce Suit Filed Today by May S. Marquardt.

May D. Marquardt, wants a divorce, alimony and custody of one child. In her petition which was framed by Wm. Klinger, she states that her marriage to Daniel A. Marquardt occurred at Ft. Wayne, April 19, 1899, but she was not long in discovering that the defendant had committed adultery with Rose Ackner, and other women, at their home, 700 Holmes avenue.

She says he has proven himself to be a man unfit to live with, or have the custody of their only child. Cruelty is also charged in the petition, the plaintiff making the allegation that she has been frequently struck, kicked and cursed by her husband. The court granted a restraining order, which will prevent the husband from disposing of the personal property or the home in which the plaintiff now lives.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Carrie Sanford, Mrs. C. C. Cowles and Chas. E. Orchard, were called to Akron today, to attend the funeral of a sister, Mrs. Harry McCune.

Mrs. A. J. Morris and Mrs. F. H. Banks, of east Kibby street, spent today in Spencerville.

James Higginbotham, of the Cleveland Seminary, is home to spend the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Higginbotham, of McKibben and West streets.

Fred S. Parmenter, who graduated in the mechanical engineering department at Ann Arbor University, returned home today, and leaves tomorrow for Philadelphia, where he has accepted a position at the Atlantic Refinery, under J. W. Van Dyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Shafer and son and daughter, of Salt Lake City are the guest of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Blanke, of New York, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McDowell of west North street.

Mrs. M. H. Finch, Mrs. H. B. Longworth and son Butler leave this evening for an extended visit at Binghampton, N. Y., and other eastern points.

POSITION

Of Janitor Will Not Include Duty as Fireman.

The board of public safety has decided that after the expiration of the present month the position of janitor of the city building will not include the duties of a fireman as it has heretofore. George Tracewell, who now holds that position with the title of fire department messenger, will probably be appointed a regular member of the fire department and a new appointment will be made for the position of janitor.

THE IDLER.

Lou P. Stephens, who is a member of the office force at the Lima Machine Works, is fortunate in being able to take a most enjoyable trip at the expense of a company which is paying in this way for courtesies extended. Mr. Stephens has gone to Canada, will extend his trip to Nova Scotia and before returning home will go to Sydney, Australia.

It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief, and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

TOMORROW YOUR CHOICE OF 100 UP TO DATE STREET HATS 98c, \$1.98 and \$2.98 AT MISS BLAND'S, MASONIC BUILDING.

I. G. O. F. NOTICE!

Shawnee Rebekahs are earnestly requested to meet at the lodge room, Sunday, June 21st, at 1 o'clock sharp, to take part in Allen Lodge memorial services, which will be held at 2 o'clock at Enworth church.

By order of Noble Grand,

KATIE WOLLET.

SPECIAL PRICES ON ALL TRIMMED HATS AT MISS BLAND'S, MASONIC BUILDING.

All Foresters of Lima, are requested to meet in their hall, in Douze block, at 8:00 o'clock, Sunday morning, June 21, for services. By order of C. R.

DANCE TONIGHT AT ARMY.

We're Pushing Business With Very Handsome, Stylish Clothing, at Very Low Prices. It's Making This Good Store Mighty Popular.

SPECIAL SUITS

\$5, \$7.50, \$10, \$12 and \$15.

Only a late season and the anxiety of manufacturers to sell make possible such remarkable values as we offer. These finely tailored, stylish, new spring suits, in newest patterns, could not have been sold earlier for less than \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50, \$15 and \$20.

Hats.

The warmer days are forcing us to force out the Felt Hats. Special for Saturday—Handsome qualities newest style, \$2.00 quality, for only

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SPECIAL SUITS

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Not Guilty to the Three Separate Charges

And Justice Reilly Released the Accused Until the Hearing on Monday Evening.

Two of the alleged assailants who handled park policeman Roush with rough hands, Wednesday night at Mr. Beth's park, were before Justice Reilly this morning, but pleas of not guilty were entered and the hearing has been set for Monday evening, at 7 o'clock.

Wm. Ford and Roy Wise, were the two whose arrest followed the assault but the third man, 'Dutch' Overholtz has not yet been located by constable Miller, who has made every effort to find him. The accused insist that they did not start the trouble, but they stand charged with still separate of fences, assault and battery, attempt to provoke a breach of the peace, and being found in a state of intoxication. They pleaded not guilty, and were released on bond in the sum of \$100 with John Maxwell, as surety.

SIDNEY TEAM

Defeated by the Wapak Indians Yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon the Sidney base ball team was defeated by Wapakoneta on the grounds at the latter place. The game was a close one, the score being as follows:

Sidney ... 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 3
Wapakoneta ... 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 4

Features of the game were a home run made by the Wapak, right fielder, Fisher, and the slab work of McDonald, the Wapak pitcher, who held the visitors down to 4 hits. The Sidney and Wapakoneta teams play at Wapak again Sunday.

Order Greens at Townsends.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Wayne street Church of Christ, will give an ice cream social at the church tomorrow night. Let every body come. By order of the SECRETARY.

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